PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

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DOCKET NO. 2015-413-C

Application of Lattice Incorporated for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide Intrastate Resold Institutional Telecommunications Services and for Alternative Regulation within the State of South Carolina

Lattice Incorporated (Lattice or the Company) has filed an Application for authority to resell intrastate specialized inmate telecommunications services within the State of South Carolina. The Company also requests that the Commission regulate its business as a reseller of intrastate telecommunications services for the purposes of providing specialized inmate telecommunications service offerings in accordance with the principles and procedures established for alternative regulation in Order Nos. 1995-1734 and 1996-55 in Docket No. 95-661-C, as modified by Order No. 2001-997 in Docket No. 2000-407-C. Lattice's institutional calling services are for the use of inmates and other incarcerated persons in confinement institutions who place calls to family members, attorneys, bail bondsmen, or any other individuals the inmate is permitted to contact, subject to restrictions imposed by the correctional facility management personnel. The Application was filed pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. §58-9-280, as amended, and Section 253 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.

A copy of the company's Application can be found on the Commission's website at www.psc.sc.gov under Docket No. 2015-413-C. Additionally, a copy of the Application is available from the Company's representative Bonnie D. Shealy, Esquire, Robinson, McFadden & Moore, P.C., 1901 Main St., Ste. 1200, Columbia, SC 29201.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a hearing, pursuant to 10 S.C. Code Ann. Regs. 103-817, on the above matter has been scheduled to begin on **Monday, March 21, 2016, at 10:30 a.m.**, before a Hearing Examiner in the Commission's Hearing Room at 101 Executive Center Drive, Saluda Building, Columbia, South Carolina 29210 for the purpose of receiving testimony and evidence from all interested parties.

Any person who wishes to participate in this matter as a party of record should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure on or before **January 19, 2016**, by filing the Petition to Intervene with the Commission, by providing a copy to the Office of Regulatory Staff and by providing a copy to all parties of record. For the receipt of future Commission correspondence, please include an email address in the Petition to Intervene. *Please refer to Docket No. 2015-413-C and mail a copy to all other parties in this docket*. Any person who seeks to intervene and who wishes to testify and present evidence at the hearing should notify, in writing, the Commission; the Office of Regulatory Staff at 1401 Main Street, Suite 900, Columbia, South Carolina 29201; and the company at the above address, on or before **January 19, 2016**. *Please refer to Docket No. 2015-413-C*.

INSTRUCTIONS TO ALL PARTIES OF RECORD (Applicant, Petitioners, and Intervenors only):

All Parties of Record must prefile testimony with the Commission and with all parties of record. Prefiled Testimony Deadlines: Applicant's **Direct Testimony** Due: 2/8/2016; Other Parties of Record **Direct Testimony** Due: 2/22/2016; Applicant's **Rebuttal Testimony** Due: 3/7/2016. All Prefiled Testimony Deadlines are subject to the information as posted on www.psc.sc.gov under **Docket No. 2015-413-C.**

For the most recent information regarding this docket, including changes in scheduled dates included in this Notice, please refer to www.psc.sc.gov and *Docket No. 2015-413-C*.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that any person who wishes to have his or her comments considered as part of the official record of this proceeding **MUST** present such comments in person to the Commission during the hearing.

Persons seeking information about the Commission's procedures should contact the Commission at (803) 896-5100 or visit its website at www.psc.sc.gov.

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